Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 03 May 2024 until 23:59 on Saturday 04 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Thursday 02 May 2024 at 16:12

Confidence: High for rather unsettled through the next few days with outbreaks of rain and for plenty of fine weather early next week, but lower for details with regard to clearance of cloud and rain on Saturday.

Headline for Friday 03 May 2024: Bright start then cloudy with patchy rain and drizzle. Winds easing

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 03 May 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Drizzle	Cloudy	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	10%	20%	20%	50%	30%	60%

Forecast for Friday 03 May 2024

Weather: Mainly dry through the early hours with clear spells. Then a bright start but cloud increasing through the morning with a little drizzle at times. More in the way of patchy rain and drizzle through the afternoon, but also a few drier, brighter interludes. Rather cloudy with patchy rain and drizzle through the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Around 75% at first but falling to around 25% through the morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional cloud becoming periods above 600-750m through the morning, the cloud lowering at times to 450m in rain and drizzle. Away from cloud visibility very good falling to several kilometres at times in rain and drizzle.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	21/31 NE	22/33 NE	16/24 NE	11/16 NE	10/16 NE	7/11 NE	4/6 NE	7/10 E	6/9 NW
300	14/24 NE	13/25 NE	9/16 NE	8/14 NE	6/12 NE	4/9 E	2/5 N	4/8 W	4/7 N
Valley	11/23 NE	10/21 NE	6/14 NE	7/13 NE	5/11 NE	3/7 E	2/4 SW	4/7 W	2/6 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/3	7/2	6/2	8/5	9/6	10/8	9/9	9/7	8/7
300	9/6	8/5	8/6	11/9	11/10	12/11	12/11	10/10	10/9
Valley	10/8	9/7	9/8	12/11	13/12	13/13	12/12	11/11	11/10
<< Freezing Level*	2300m	2300m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2500m	2500m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing to add.

Forecast for Saturday 04 May 2024

Weather: Rather cloudy with showers or longer outbreaks of rain. Becoming drier with clear spells through the evening.

Maximum wind: Mainly southerly or southwesterly 10mph or less.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Little chance through much of the day, but chances improving through the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods or persistent cloud above 450-600m, lowering to 300m at times in rain, cloud breaking though the evening to become more occasional above 600-750m. Away from cloud, visibility good falling to several kilometres at times in rain, becoming very good later

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9 or 10 Celsius overnight rising to 14 or 15 Celsius by day
At 700m: Around plus 7 Celsius
Freezing level: Well above the summits

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